

196.701 Kentucky State Corrections Commission -- Membership.

- (1) To develop and implement a statewide strategic plan for community corrections programs, the Kentucky State Corrections Commission is created and is attached to the office of the secretary of the Justice Cabinet. The commission shall consist of eleven (11) members as follows:
 - (a) The deputy commissioner of the Division of Community Services and Local Facilities;
 - (b) A Circuit Court judge appointed by the Chief Justice;
 - (c) A county judge/executive appointed by the Governor;
 - (d) A county jailer appointed by the Governor;
 - (e) A Commonwealth's attorney appointed by the Governor;
 - (f) A victim, as that term is defined in KRS 346.020, appointed by the Governor;
 - (g) Two (2) service providers from the field of mental health, substance abuse treatment, or vocational and educational training appointed by the Governor;
 - (h) The executive director of the Office of the Criminal Justice Council or the executive director's designee;
 - (i) The executive director of the Parole Board; and
 - (j) The public advocate or his or her designee.
- (2) The terms of those members appointed by the appointing authority shall be three (3) years. These members shall serve at the pleasure of the appointing authority and shall be eligible for reappointment. If there is a vacancy, the appointing authority shall immediately make an appointment effective for the unexpired term.
- (3) The chairperson of the commission shall be the deputy commissioner of the Division of Community Services and Local Facilities. The commission shall elect from among its members a vice chairperson who shall preside and exercise the functions of the chairperson during absence or disability of the chairperson.
- (4) Regular meetings of the commission shall be held at least once every four (4) months at a place, day, and hour determined by the commission. Special meetings shall be held when needed as determined by the chairperson. If five (5) or more members of the commission request in writing that the chairperson call a special meeting, then the chairperson shall call a special meeting.
- (5) Members of the commission shall receive reimbursement for necessary expenses for attendance at official commission meetings or public hearings. The administrative functions of the commission shall be performed by a full-time employee of the department who is selected by the commissioner.

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